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WEATHER FORECAST  
Fair and cool with  
faded frost Fri. morning.  
Sat. Partly cloudy, warm.

TIDES High Low  
Dec. 10 10:24 p 9:12 a  
Dec. 11 11:16 p 10:05 a

## Lewis Execution Stayed

Mark Lewis, convicted slayer of Kenneth Mason, slated to die in the electric chair here tomorrow, was granted a stay of execution when his case was appealed to the United States Supreme Court this week.

Lewis, a Negro GI, was convicted of killing Mason on a road in Hancock County near Pearlman after hitchhiking a ride with him.

Lewis was the last person in Mississippi scheduled to die in the electric chair, which has been used in this state for the last 14 years. On January 1 the new lethal gas chamber being erected at Parchman will go into use.

Attorneys William H. Stewart, Poplarville, and Arlington Jones, Hattiesburg, obtained the stay of execution from Chief Justice Harvey McFadden of the State Supreme Court after filing notice of the appeal.

Lewis was picked up in Virginia in the slain man's automobile. He was arrested on a

charge of speeding and returned to Louisiana for having a stolen car in his possession with a Louisiana license. He later confessed to the slaying of Mason.

His attorneys said they will ask the U. S. Supreme Court to review the case on the grounds that Lewis was coerced into making the confession.

In the appeal to the U. S. Supreme Court the attorneys said they will show that Lewis "confessed to the murder crime in return for a promise that he would be given a lesser sentence."

On Nov. 9 the State Supreme Court upheld the conviction and sentence of Lewis given by the Hancock Circuit Court and commuted the sentence to life imprisonment for the prisoner during investigation of the case.

The stay of execution is effective until the U. S. Supreme Court decides if it will review the hearing. If this is refused the state supreme court will set a new date for execution.

## National Guard Strength at 30

Three enlistments this week brought the total strength of the local National Guard Unit to 30 men.

Enlist in Company C. 223rd Engr. Av. Bn. were  
Pvt. William E. Breland  
Pvt. Larry J. Koennen  
Pvt. P. J. Ladner Jr.  
Renovation of the Armory is progressing and will be completed within the next thirty days. As soon as the building is repaired to house Federal property and the cyclone fence is constructed a considerable amount of equipment will be assigned to the company for training purposes.

Meetings are held each Monday night at the Armory located on Necaise Ave. corner Bookier St. from 7 to 9 p.m.

Men 17 years of age are eligible for enlistment with their parents' consent, and those enlisting prior to 18½ are drafted exempt and can satisfy their military obligation in a home town unit.

## Bay Hi Chorus Xmas Program Tomorrow Nite

On Friday, December 17 at 8 p.m. the Bay High School Chorus will present its annual Christmas cantata in the auditorium of the school, Marcel LaNasa, director, has announced. The public is cordially invited to attend. Program for the evening will be excerpts from two of the favorite cantatas of past seasons, "The Wondrous Story" and "Chimes of the Holy Night." A pot-pourri of Christmas carols will also be sung by the chorists. Mrs. Carl Smith will be the piano accompanist for the group, consisting of over 40 girls. The program had been previously scheduled for next Tuesday.

## Christmas Party At Drive-In Sat.

A Christmas party, co-sponsored by Mr. and Ed P. Ortle and Mrs. Mrs. Nelius Rhodes will be held Saturday, Dec. 18 at the Drive-In Theatre on Highway 90.

For 17 consecutive years Mr. and Mrs. Ortle have sponsored a Christmas party that was county wide. The first of these events was held in the Ortle home in Clermont Harbor, later at the Gulf Theatre in Waveland, then at the Ortle Theatre in Bay St. Louis and for the last several years at the Hi-Way Drive-In Theatre.

The day will start with a Fish Fry at 11 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m., followed by a Christmas Tree party at which time Santa Claus will arrive to distribute gifts and goodies to all children present. Santa will remain from 3 until 5 p.m.

Julie and Mrs. Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Ortle sincerely hope that everyone will be on hand for this gala festival.

## SPECIAL ELECTION TUESDAY ON PROPOSED SCHOOL AMENDMENT

### Would Permit Abolishing Public Schools In State

POST OFFICE TO BE OPEN SAT, DEC. 18, WED, DEC. 22

The Bay St. Louis Post Office will remain open for business all day Saturday, Dec. 18 and on Wednesday, Dec. 22, in order to better serve the patrons with their Christmas mailings. Postmaster Fred Herlihy announced this week.

Delivery of mail by City carriers will also be made on Sunday, Dec. 19 to help relieve the congestion of Christmas mail in the office. This plan was carried out last year and it greatly relieved the strain of postal workers in making all deliveries without unnecessary delay, Postmaster Herlihy said.

A special election called by the state to vote on the proposed amendment to the constitution will be held Tuesday, Dec. 21.

The amendment would give the State Legislature the power to abolish public schools if such a measure became necessary in order to maintain segregation.

The League of Women Voters warned yesterday that despite rumors to the contrary, paying 1953 or 1954 poll tax at this time does not make anyone eligible to vote in the Dec. 21 election.

Poll tax must be paid on or before Feb. 1 of the year in which the election is held, the League pointed out.

Polls will be located in the usual places and no poll tax receipts will be necessary unless there is an error on the books. In case of error, it would expedite voting to have tax receipts handy. Absentee ballots may be obtained from the clerk of courts. Same procedure will be followed in the special election as in a general election.

Following is a list of election officials:

**BEAT ONE—**

**ANSLEY:** Charles Hammer, Mrs. A. Schwartz, Mrs. Ed Ladner, Jules LaFrance P&RO.

**PEARLINGTON:** Chas. A. Russ, Mrs. Chas. A. Russ, Mrs. H. D. Davis, H. D. Davis, P&RO.

**LOGGTON:** Roy Baxter, Sr., Geo. Koch, Mrs. Roland Wilkerson, B. U. Carver, P & RO

**NAPOLEON:** Alphonse Smith, Mrs. G. C. Dawsey, Mrs. Robert Landrum, Cliff Dawsey, P&RO

**GAINESVILLE:** L. E. Miller, P&RO, Mrs. Tommy Patch, Mrs. Earl Davis, Thornton Brown, P&RO

**FLAT TWO—**

Charlie Mitchell, Mrs. Robt. Martin, Mrs. Rod McQueen, S. L. Dill, P&RO

**AARON ACADEMY:** Gus Frierson, Mrs. Hubert Carter, Mrs. alter Carbonette, C. C. Keller, P&RO

**BEAT THREE—**

**STANDARD:** Harold Page, Mrs. Alvin McGathern, Dennis Cuevas, Beatrice Matheux

**DEDAUX:** Bill Argus was prologue speaker and director of "J. Caesar."

**CRANE CREEK:** Aaron Ladner P&RO, Mrs. Welton Shaw, Frank Shaw, R. B. Shaw, P&RO

**BEAT FOUR**

**CAESAR:** James Rester P&RO, Cullen S. Lee, Richmond C. Smith, Cully C. Lee

**CATAHOULA:** B. P. Williams, Mrs. James Ne-casse, James L. Cuevas Jr., P&RO, Reas Moran

**KILN:** David Wright, Forest Depreo, Joe Roddie, Adolph Favre Sr., P&RO

**ROCKY HILL:** Elmer Necaise P&RO, Mrs. Irvin Hode, Elvis E. Necaise, Mrs. Albert Hode

**FENTON:** Napoleon Moran, P&RO, Claude E. (Cy) Cuevas, Mrs. Alcide Gariga, Woodrow Mauffray

**BEAT FIVE—**

**NORTH BAY:** Charles Traub Sr., William C. Sick Sr., Alvin J. Christy, W. H. Benham, P&RO

**CENTRAL SCHOOL:** Charles Genin P&RO, Capt. H. A. Thompson, Mrs. Paul Miller, Mrs. Lucy Gaudet

**PORTHOUSE:** Pascal Caruso P&RO, Mrs. Jeanette Carmichael, M. A. Farillo, Mrs. Douglas Bourgeois

**CITY HALL:** Frank Quintini P&RO, Mrs. J. C. Chevis, Miss Louise Armstrong, R. S. (Ralph) Blaize

**SOUTH BAY:** Peter Fayard P&RO, Randolph Bourgeois, George Cuevas, Louis Banderet

**WAVELAND:** Alphonse Favre Sr. P&RO, Ed Gipsot, Mrs. Fred Bourgeois, Tony C. Bourgeois

**CLERMONT HARBOR:** A. E. GARRIGA P&RO, A. J. Carrick, Chas. N. Burdorf, W. J. Ladner

**LAKESHORE:** Ed Green, Mrs. Lawrence Lafontaine, Mrs. Reginald Moran, Harry Thomas P&RO

**EDWARDSVILLE:** Gus Tartavouille, P&RO, 1400 Favre, E. B. Richardson Sr., Arthur Miller

## Officers Named At Yacht Club For Coming Year

The annual election of officers to serve for the coming year was held Saturday night at the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club.

J. Alvin Weinfurter was elected Commodore; Edward H. Heath Jr., Vice Commodore; Norman Renshaw, Rear Commodore; Joseph Samuel, Treasurer; N. L. Carter, Secretary; E. P. Larroux, Fleet Captain; Dr. H. A. Eldredge, Fleet Surgeon; J. K. Brown, Chairman of House Committee; C. C. McDonald Jr., Chairman of Racing Committee.

Board members at large are: Walter J. Gex Jr., George Lehtinen, R. F. Metcalf Sr. and Leo Seal Jr.

Preceding the business meeting members of the Ladies Auxiliary served a delicious turkey dinner.



NEW YACHT CLUB OFFICERS—left to right, Dr. H. A. Eldredge, Jos. Samuel, J. A. Weinfurter, R. N. Renshaw, C. C. McDonald Jr. and Edward M. Heath.

## Santa To Be At Legion Christmas Tree Party

Direct information has been received that Santa Claus will be present at the Legion Christmas Party and will have more than 2,000 toys and dolls to give to the boys and girls attending, according to Tom Bressler and Sidney Bourgeois, co-chairmen.

It is assumed that this large number of toys and dolls will be sufficient to allow every boy and girl attending at least one or more of the fine free gifts, chairman Bourgeois stated.

Also on the program for the youngsters is a big free movie with free popcorn for them. This party will be free to all boys and girls of Hancock County. No tickets are required, no charge will be made to the youngsters. All will be welcomed, chairman Bressler said.

In addition to the free toys and dolls, and free movies and popcorn, hundreds of apples and oranges and pounds of candy and nuts will be given to those attending the big party. "We intend to give the Bay St. Louis and Hancock County youngsters a real Christmas party that

they will long remember, Bourgeois said.

Ten additional Legionnaires have been named to assist in the party. Named were Clois Dedaux, Dr. Adrian Hava, Phillip S. Hayes, Lucien W. Kidd, Patrick McGinty, Jim Pfeiffer, Francis "Jerry" Poolson, Johnson Shaw Jr., Frank Taconi and Capt. H. J. Thompson.

Both Bourgeois and Bressler agreed that the main hope of the Legion to raise funds to pay for the Legion Christmas Party is through the Legion's twice-weekly adult entertainment parties held at the Legion Home. They are held on Wednesday nights at 8:00 p.m. and on Sundays at 2 p.m.

"We may 'drop in the hole' on this Christmas Program but we are hopeful that the expected response from local people with financial help will be forthcoming, Bourgeois said.

Anyone may contribute to the fund for the party by bringing or mailing checks or cash to either of the chairmen or to any member of the committee, Bressler concluded.

## Fire Destroys Home, All Possessions

### CALLING SANTA CLAUS Nine Face Xmas Without Homes Or Possessions

Last night nine colored persons were made homeless and stripped of all their material possessions when fire consumed their home.

Dennis Favre his wife, and five small children, the eldest of whom is six years old, and Ida Coe and her invalid husband will have to face a bitter winter, and a heartbreaking Christmas unless the people of Bay St. Louis will open their hearts to provide for these unfortunate fellow citizens.

Favre is periodically employed by Owen Heitzmann on construction work. Ida does day work to provide for herself and her husband, who has been a helpless invalid for several years. These people could not afford to carry insurance on their meager belongings. The flames consumed all their possessions except the clothes they were wearing.

This is the Christmas Season. To help these people rehabilitate would be one of the finest gestures the town could make. Mrs. Haas, Hancock County Welfare Agent, has volunteered to have her organization serve as a receiving station for any contributions that are made.

Mrs. Elizabeth Weston, executive secretary, ARC, also will receive and disburse any gifts received.

Clothing, food, furniture, toys for the children's Christmas, and cash to help provide new homes for these nine are needed.

Would it not make Christmas better to send something to aid these two families?

### CHRISTMAS PARTY TO BE HELD AT YACHT CLUB

The Bay-Waveland Yacht Club will entertain Sunday afternoon, Dec. 19 at 3 o'clock for children of members and their guests at the annual Christmas party.

The affair is sponsored by members of the Ladies Auxiliary. Mrs. Pat Murphy will serve as chairman. Members are asked to call her at 794 or call the club, 1046, so that the number of children expected will be known to those in charge.

Uncontrollable flames consumed a double negro dwelling on St. George St. within minutes Wednesday evening about 6 o'clock.

The frame structure was the home of Allen and Ida Coe on one side and of Dennis Favre and his wife and five small children on the other.

All inhabitants of the dwelling escaped the flames. Coe, who has been paralyzed several years, was carried from the burning house by a colored neighbor, Gorman. Favre and his wife managed to get their children to the safety of the street.

The fire department answered the alarm immediately, as did the Power Co. and Gas Dept., but the timber of the house was so dry that it was impossible to halt the flames. Heroic measures on the part of men working with these organizations prevented spreading of the fire.

### ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY: 1855-1955

## Perilous Journey to Bay from Bourg Begun by Three Nuns in 1854

Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of articles on the History of St. Joseph Academy. The school will celebrate its Centennial on January 6, 1955.

PICTURE the bustling docks of New Orleans about one hundred years ago—the shouting roustabouts; the bales of cotton piled to the sky; the flatboats of the farmer along the Mississippi, who had come to barter his crops for staples; the huge, cumbersome stern-wheelers.

It was here that Father Stanislaus Buteux came in the year 1854 to take a boat to France, a crossing that would take over a month, even in the clipper ships that skimmed the sea in what seemed like a fabulous rate of speed.

But Father had an important reason for leaving his parishioners in the tiny town of Bay St. Louis during the long months the journey would involve—he needed help in teaching their children a job which had grown too big for the few hours he could spare from his other work.

When Father Buteux arrived he went first to the Archbishop of Belleu who recommended his request to Reverend Mother St. Claude of the Sisters of St. Joseph in Bourg.

There were several sisters in the convent who were interested in missionary work in America, but Reverend Mother was not at all sure she wanted to send them. Father still had need of all the religious at home, and the life would be hard in the little settlement.

But Father pleaded his cause well, and after considering the

### METHODIST CHRISTMAS PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED SUNDAY

Next Sunday evening at 7:30 at the Methodist Church the annual Christmas Program will be presented. Those taking part on the program this year will be the children of the church and the choir.

A white Christmas service will be observed with each one in attendance bringing, if they will, one package of food wrapped in white paper. This contribution of food will be used in preparation of the Christmas Cheer Baskets given each year by the Methodist Church.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH TO HAVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Carroll Lowe, church choir director of the First Baptist Church of Bay St. Louis, announces the presentation of "The Christmas Angels," a carol and candlelight service to be presented Sunday evening, December 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church.

This will be a presentation of the three combined choirs of the church—the church and carol choirs, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, and the church choir under the direction of Mrs. Alex Epperson, Mrs. M. J. Ne-caise Jr., and Mrs. Schuyler Bat-son.



SJA's First School—1855

This small cottage first occupied by the Sisters of St. Joseph and renovated in 1925 is still standing in the rear of the school grounds.

order to preserve their precious shoes. Another letter tells us that snakes had even fallen from the trees while they wended their way on their missionary labor.

They gave religious instructions to the pupils, to their parents, to the slaves and even to the Indians of the outlying districts.

In September they were able to open a school at Bay St. Louis. The initial enrollment was 33 pupils. By December this number had increased to 40.

Of father Buteux Mother Eulalie wrote:

"He is really undertaking too much—he has engaged a music teacher to whom we must pay \$90.00 a month, but we have only three music pupils!"

They worked on against all odds.

The future looked bright, but a period of great trial loomed ahead. The Civil War broke out.

New Orleans found itself under military rule. The bare necessities of life were difficult to obtain. Besides bread, the only food available to the Sisters was pap made from green corn.

Terrible epidemics of cholera and yellow fever ravaged Louisiana and Mississippi. The Sisters now became nurses of the plague-stricken poor. Three sisters died of yellow fever. The death of Mother Eulalie, March 21, 1858, had caused much grief in the little community.

To be continued



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## AROUND THE CAMPUS AT ST. STANISLAUS

### Hope Seen For Blue Babies

The St. Stanislaus Band was honored with a Christmas supper and dance by the Band Auxiliary on December 7. All the members of the band and their dates were served supper in the St. Stanislaus cafeteria and then danced in the band room.

Over 30 couples enjoyed the evening.

On Wednesday, December 8, the members of the Grammar School Fraternity of the Sacred Heart were guests at a party given by Brother Noel and Brother Neil, moderators of the confraternity.

The party consisted of games and a dance with refreshments served by Mrs. Warren Carver, Mrs. Jake Morreale, Mrs. Alvin Genn, Mrs. Robert Genn and Mrs. Fred Morreale.

Classes will be dismissed on Friday, December 17 for the holidays, with school to be resumed on the morning of January 3.

Many of the boarders are looking forward to these holidays for it will be the first time they will have visited home since they began school in September.

Brother Noel, who was operated on in New Orleans last week, is doing fine and expects to be able to return to St. Stanislaus during the Christmas holidays.

The school pictures which were taken in November arrived this week and many of the students feel that the "statement" the camera never lies is false.

The final activity of the year for the Rockchaw students is the Christmas dance sponsored by the Junior class on Thursday, December 16 in the St. Stanislaus gym.

Brother Martial's Rocksters will furnish the music.

## HOME AGENT'S NOTES

by  
SARAH L. WEAVER  
Home Demonstration Agent  
Hancock County

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**Frosted Fruit Centerpiece**  
For an elegant centerpiece arrange frosted fruits in a crystal compote or silver bowl with fresh green leaves. Dip apples, pears, oranges, lemons and grapes in egg whites that have been beaten to a froth. Next dip each piece of fruit in granulated sugar. Let dry on cake racks.

**To Shell Brazil Nuts**  
Cover nuts with cold water. Bring to boil and boil 3 minutes. Drain. Cover with cold water. Boil 1 minute. Drain and crack.

**Spicy Christmas Nuggets**  
1 pt. molasses  
1 c. sugar  
2 T. allspice  
2 T. cinnamon  
2 T. cloves  
some ginger  
1 lb. raisins  
2 T. nutmeg  
1 pk. dates  
1 lb. citron  
1 lb. pecans  
2 c. buttermilk  
2 T. soda  
1 c. melted shortening  
1 t. salt  
flour (enough to make a stiff dough)

Mix all ingredients. Chill. Dip out with a spoon or pinch out nuggets. Place on greased cookie sheet and bake at 375 degrees F. for 10-12 minutes or until light brown. Cool. Ice with 7 minute or boiled frosting.

**Christmas Mailbox**  
For a novel Christmas mailbox.

## STANISLAUS CAGERS BUMP ST. JOSEPH 35-20 MONDAY

After gaining a 22-0 lead, St. Stanislaus coasted to a 35-20 victory over the St. Joseph Shamrocks in the feature of a boys' team cage ball at the Rockchaw gymnasium Monday night.

St. Joseph was just fresh from upsetting victories over other teams and St. John's of Gulfport, but the Shamrocks were held in check by the Rockchaws and St. Stanislaus grabbed a field goal until the final quarter.

St. Stanislaus grabbed a quick 10-0 lead in the first quarter, and at halftime led 21-3, all three of St. Joseph's points coming late in the second period by way of free tosses.

The Rockchaw second string took over the game and in a slow third period outscored St. Joseph 6-5 to increase their lead to 27-8.

Still all of the Shamrocks' points were by way of charity tosses.

The Pass squad broke open in the final stanza to hit for three field goals and six free shots to net 12 points to SSC's 8. The final score was 35-20.

James Schenay was SSC's high scorer with 7 points while Louis Lader and Paul Vetter tallied 6 each.

Vernon Garriga and Wayne James led St. Joseph with 7 points each. Garriga made 5 free shots and one field goal while all of James' markers came by the free throw route.

In a "B" contest Stanislaus downed St. Joseph 38-12. The Rockchaws led 22-3 at halftime.

Score by Quarters:  
St. Joseph 0 3 5 12 - 20  
Stanislaus 10 11 6 8 - 35

**PLAN TREAT FOR CHILDREN  
IN XMAS OLDSMOBILE SHOW**

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Julie Blanchard hit the cords for a total of 25 points to lead the Gold Jays to their third victory without a setback. SJA dropped a tournament game to Kdn in the Kdn cage tourney. Carolyn Lader collected 13 points to also lead the Gold Jay cause.

St. Joseph Academy took a 12-7 lead in the opening frame and increased it to 24-11 by halftime.

Still on the march, SJA increased the margin to 37-21 at the end of the third period.

The St. Joseph Shamrocks began a final rally in which they netted 17 points but time ran out and the Gold Jays captured a close 42-38 victory.

Mildred Logan led the Shamrock scoring department by tallying 25 points while Shelda Bradley scored 12.

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by

GEORGETTE B. HALL



Big doings are anticipated at the Waveland School next week as the students and teachers get ready to celebrate Christmas. On Tuesday evening, Dec. 21, the children will present their annual Christmas play, "Hi Ho! It's Christmas." These plays are always well attended by an appreciative audience of parents and guests and everyone is invited to attend.

On Wednesday morning, Dec. 22, the children of the school will enjoy their Christmas tree and will exchange gifts in their final gathering before enjoying the Christmas vacation which ends January 3. Many sly whispers and secret plans are brewing among the various classes. Yes, indeed, there's no other way to describe it. It's Christmas!

Waveland's basketball team, represented by students of the Waveland School, met the basket-

ball team of Bay High's seventh and eighth grades in Bay High's gymnasium Tuesday afternoon. Although the Waveland team played hard, both boys' and girls' teams lost to the stronger teams from the Bay.

Miss Cecile Turcotte, teacher at the Waveland School, has been confined to her home for the last two weeks because of illness. It is hoped that Miss Turcotte will have a speedy recovery and can join her youngsters at school in their Christmas preparations.

Mrs. A. G. Dantagnan, of Bay St. Louis, and Mrs. Ruth Meilure of Waveland had a most enjoyable outing Tuesday when they drove to New Orleans to attend the Charity Hospital Nurses' Reunion. Both Mrs. Dantagnan and Mrs. Meilure have been associated with the nursing profession for about 18 years. Members were present at the gathering representing

classes from as early as 1896 and as late as 1954. About 500 members were reunited in the large reception room of Charity Hospital where delicious refreshments were served and some interesting and worth while discussions were held. Mrs. Dantagnan and Mrs. Meilure report that they had a delightful as well as a stimulating experience from their attendance.

Children, members of the Methodist Church, and others will celebrate the coming of Christmas with a Christmas tree, refreshments and the exchange of gifts Sunday evening at 7 p.m. This will be the first Christmas celebration in the new building recently constructed on the church's site on Railroad Ave. and Favre Lane. It is rumored—all kids take heed!—that old Santa himself might make an early appearance and delight the youngsters.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Mayfield of New Albany, Miss. are visiting with their son, James Mayfield and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Villere and Mrs. A. B. Favre motored to New Orleans Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rome Dardene are spending a few days in their home on Water Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall and daughter, Lynne, and Mrs. T. H. Brockman Sr. spent Saturday in New Orleans and enjoyed dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Bisco, formerly of Fort Worth, Texas, have moved into their new home on Beach Blvd. The home is an attractive cottage recently completed by McDonald Construction. This column welcomes Dr. and Mrs. Bisco to Waveland.

Dr. J. T. Towil of Loyola University, New Orleans, and Bob Mackey have returned home after a trip to Washington, D.C., former home of Dr. Towil. They say they are glad to be back in Waveland after battling snow and ice throughout their visit to the nation's Capital.

The stork is giving old Santa some real competition these days in delivering precious packages. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, of Pass Christian, are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday in the Gulfport hospital. This is their eighth child. Mrs. Griffin is the former Catherine Chadwick of Waveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Furdie E. Sutherland, of Pass Christian, are delighted with the new son born to them Saturday. This young man makes their family consist of three boys and two girls. Mrs. Sutherland is the former Marcelle Moore of Waveland and Bay St. Louis.

Like the delightful family in the now classic story, "Cheaper by the Dozen," the Ferry family of Waveland can now share honors with them. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferry this week making their children number a round dozen. Mrs. Ferry is the former "Libby" Foursine of Waveland.

As we go to press we realize there is only one more issue of the paper before Christmas. It is sincerely hoped that everyone who reads this column will feel the sacredness of the coming days and will spend them in reverence, keeping, too, that feeling of good fellowship and good will toward men.

The Hancock County Eagle has brought you the news and other items of interest throughout the year. We hope you have enjoyed them. And now, a little early, perhaps, but still have a Merry Christmas!

Friday night Kiln found a tough opponent in the Picaune Maroon Tide, but finally edged the Picaune cagers 50-46. Kiln took a halftime lead of 22-13 and had to come back in the fading minutes to tight off the Tide's last minute bid for a place in the finals of the tournament.

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Continuing on their scoring spree Kiln netted 22 points in the third quarter to hike their lead to 54-33. Nineteen points in the final frame gave Kiln a decisive 73-52 victory over Industrial. Larry Ladner aided the Kiln cause by tallying 20 points. Louis Gariga went for 16 points while Royce Shyu hit the hoop for 17 points.

Forward Guard of Industrial took the night's scoring honors with 23 points in the losing battle.

After a Thursday night bye, the Kiln girls found the Industrial lassies a little too much and faded away to a 41-34 defeat after Kiln had taken a 25-24 halftime lead.

Betty Joyce Nease and Janice Fay Lee contributed their efforts for Kiln with 14 and 12 points, respectively.

Industrial girls, who also topped Picaune, met defeat in the finals against the McNeil sextet. The three day tournament had twelve teams entered: Picaune, Kiln, Poplarville, Carriere, McNeil and Industrial entered their boys' and girls' squads.

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In their opening game Thursday night, Kiln coasted to a 58-38 victory over the Poplarville Hornets. The Wildcats held a 28-19 halftime advantage and easily slid into the win.

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Tigers Ebb Tide  
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Rallying in the last quarter, the Bay High Tigers dropped the Picaune Maroon Tide 30-25, before a packed gymnasium in Picaune Tuesday night. Donald Cole, Bay High Guard led the Tigers to their fifth consecutive victory by tallying 12 points.

The first quarter was point for point with the score at the end of the period 9-9. In the second quarter the Maroon Tide garnered one more field goal than the Tigers and led 16-14 at the half. The end of the third period still found the Tigers trailing by two points as each team dropped in 3 field goals.

The fourth quarter opened with Bay High tying the score at 22 all. The fans began to feel the tension and the cheers after each point were almost deafening.

The Tigers scored 10 points in the last quarter while the Tide could sink only 3. The final score: Bay High 30, Picaune 25. Coach Caldwell, Bay High coach, was pretty well satisfied with his boys' performance on defense, but said he could see a need of improvement on offense.

This Thursday the Tigers meet Pass Christian.

The Tigerettes had an easy victory over the Picaune girls. The halftime score was 26-6 as Bay High's second team took over for most of the second half.

The six starters ended the game playing in reverse positions. Leading the Tigerettes was high scorer Rosemary Millinery with 14 points, followed by Annie Merle Holden with 9.

Moran with 4 points was high scorer for Picaune.

Several Freshies gave Pabs Kidd a surprise birthday party at Pat Kingston's home Wednesday after the movie given for the Christmas tree fund. Babs has now reached the ripe old age of 14.

By the way—the Freshies are quite proud of 3 of their classmates who dressed out for the varsity Monday night (Babs, Peggy and Myra).

The Gold Jays and Rockchaws defeated SJS Monday night at SSC gym. Let's keep it up, team!

Marsha has the prettiest pin. It's a '55 graduation pin, and you know what? Andy gave it to her Friday night!

The Sorority Formal is going to be a nice big shindig and is really supposed to be a lot of fun!

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## SSC Edges Moss Point in Thriller

A last minute display of sharp shooting on the part of Louis Rockachaw field goal gave SSC a 20 second freeze added up to a 52-50 victory for St. Stanislaus over the Moss Point Tigers in their cage meet at the Rockachaw gymnasium Saturday night. St. Stanislaus took an early 11-6 lead in the opening quarter but Moss Point came back strong to tie the Rocks' Guards and net the points and take a 23-17 half-time lead.

Moss Point in the third period by netting 16 points, but still trailed 33-36. With nip and tuck playing in the final quarter, the Rocks pulled up to a 45-46 game with two minutes remaining. Ladrner sank a charity toss to knot the score. He missed the second toss and the last minutes of action began. A quick interception and a Rockachaw field goal gave SSC a two point lead. Moss Point's Vernon Ehlers sank a long one but Louis Ladrner came back to repeat the feat and again to give Stanislaus the lead. Again Ehlers netted a long one, and with the aid in the opening quarter but Moss Point came back strong to tie the Rocks' Guards and net the points and take a 23-17 half-time lead.

## ROCKS LOSE TO BILOXI CAGERS

After taking an early first quarter lead, the St. Stanislaus Rockachaw cagers dropped a 63-51 decision to the Biloxi Indians on the basketball court Friday night. It was St. Stanislaus' first performance this year and with the aid of the Rockachaw starters, the Indians moved into a 16-14 first quarter lead. Biloxi then threw up their defense and held St. Stanislaus to two field goals in the second quarter while the Indians dropped to 14 points and took a 27-20 halftime advantage.

The Rockachaw cagers gained a point in the third quarter and still trailed 42-36 and took a completely apart in the final quarter. Biloxi took a 51-31 victory. Wilkes Rhoads, Jimmie Schenck, and Louis Ladrner, with 16, 12, and 10 points respectively, were leading scorers for the Rocks. Ralph Schenck accounted for 20 of Biloxi's points while Wilkes Rhoads and Louis Ladrner, with 16, 12, and 10 points respectively, were leading scorers for the Rocks. Biloxi took a 51-31 victory.

bounds before releasing the ball and Stanislaus was awarded the ball. A freeze was then put on by the Rocks and with 5 seconds left Ladrner shot but missed. Ehlers caught the ball on the rebound, but couldn't break through the St. Stanislaus defense and the time ran out before he could get in position for a shot. Louis Ladrner with high scorer for St. Stanislaus with 21 points. Wilkes Rhoads dropped in 11 and Jim Schenck netted 10. Vernon Ehlers collected 13 points to lead Moss Point's scoring. Moss Point opened the night's program by taking a "B" contest 40-23. This was Moss Point's third defeat in four starts. They earlier had beaten Pascagoula in a game which they won by one point. St. Stanislaus evened their record at 1-1.

Score by quarters:

Moss Point	6	17	13	14	50
Stanislaus	11	6	16	19	52

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## KILN-SELLERS

In a fast nip-and-tuck basketball contest at Sellers Tuesday night, the Green Wave fought it down to the wire before bowing to the strong Kiln Wildcats 59-48. Kiln held a 26-24 advantage at halftime, led by the sharpshooting of Russell Mitchell, then pulled away in the last half and wrapped up the contest with an 18-point outburst in the final quarter. However, the Sellers girls gave the Kiln some consolation by taking a 44-38 verdict from the Kiln. Shirley Ladrner tallied 16 points to lead Sellers' scoring while Betty Nease with 17, was high for the visitors.

Boys game—	Kiln	13	13	15	18	59
	Sellers	11	13	13	11	48
Girls Game	Kiln	10	9	11	8	38
	Sellers	15	13	9	7	44

## DEDEAUX-ST. MARTIN'S

The Dedeaux cagers split a twin bill played Tuesday night in North Biloxi when they topped St. Martin's 53-45, and fell in defeat to the Yellow Jacket sextet's 39-20. Dedeaux's varsity cagers took an early lead and never were seriously threatened by the Yellow Jacket. The Dark Horses led 11-8 at the end of the opening frame, 22-22 at halftime, and 40-29 at the close of the third period. W. J. Cameron was Dedeaux's high scorer with 17 points while Michael Camette led the Yellow Jacket with 10 points. In the girls' game St. Martin's first stringers built up a quick and commanding lead and left the game at the start of the second quarter. Dedeaux came up stronger in the second frame, but at halftime they still trailed 29-14. The second half was a decisive battle, with Dedeaux netting 10 points, and St. Martin's scoring 10. Jackie Mulley led Dedeaux's scoring with 11 points and Norma Fountain paced the winners with 16 tallies.

## SHAMROCKS-D'IBERVILLE

Despite Mildred Logan's 40 point effort, the St. Joseph Shamrocks fell in defeat to D'Iberville 35-33 in the girls' tilt of a twin bill played Thursday night at D'Iberville gymnasium. However the boys from Pass Christian fought off a late Warrior rally to emerge with a 39-33 triumph. Verle Gariga collected 14 points in leading St. Joseph to their second straight upset. Last week SJS topped St. Johns of Gulfport 54-48. After the score was knotted at 16-16 at halftime, St. Joseph netted ten points in the third quarter to take a 26-22 lead. St. Joseph's cagers took an early lead but couldn't hold the sharpshooting of Sherry Everett and Wanda Sue Walton, who dumped in 22 and 21 points respectively. For the second consecutive game Mildred Logan tallied 40 points.

## PASS HIGH COPS TWO

Pass Christian captured both games of a twin bill with Long Beach Thursday night with the boys winning 50-44 and the ladies coasting to a 49-21 victory. Leroy Wesovich led Pass' offense with 22 points while J. C. Nease and Fred Scarborough had 12 and 10 respectively. For Long Beach forward John Spencer hit the corks for 21 points to lead the Bears. Pass High had a halftime lead of 31-18. In the girls' game Pass Christian proved too much for Long Beach, and with Mary Harrison's 19 points, had an easy victory. The Pass girls led 31-8 at halftime and 42-14 by the end of the third quarter.

## DEDEAUX SPLITS PAIR

Dedeaux continued their rampage of sharpshooting and last Thursday the Dark Horses grabbed a 55-43 decision over Lyman.

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
To Frances H. Davidson whose last known address is Charlotte, North Carolina  
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock in said State on the third Monday of February, A. D. 1955, to defend the suit No. 7177 in said Court of Benny Davidson, wherein you are a defendant.  
The 11th day of December A. D. 1954.  
A. C. MITCHELL  
Chancery Clerk  
12-9-4t By H. E. Engelnhorn D.C.

## STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

NOTICE TO BANKS  
Notice is hereby given to all banks in Hancock County and adjoining counties that bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi from said banks on Monday, January 3rd, 1955, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., for the privilege of keeping the County funds and funds collected by the Sheriff and Tax Collector and other public funds of said Hancock County, for the year 1955. Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 7th day of December, A. D. 1954.  
(SEAL)  
A. C. MITCHELL  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
Hancock County, Mississippi  
12-9-4t

## ADVERTISMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the repair and additions to the Hancock County Courthouse, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, will be received by the Hancock County Board of Supervisors until 10:00 a.m. CST, December 20, 1954, at the Board of Supervisors' Office, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read.  
Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County and copies may be obtained from Shourds & Mogabgab, Architects, Fourth Floor, Fisher Building, Gulfport, Miss., upon deposit of \$15 for each set. The full amount of deposit for each set of specifications will be refunded to each actual bidder, upon return of all documents to the Architects in good condition within 10 days after bid opening; in all other cases only 50% of the deposit will be refunded when the documents are later returned within ten days after bid opening; after which time no deposit will be refunded in whole or in part.  
Proposal and bid bond forms are included in triplicate in each specification and one set of executed form must be submitted. The bond shall be by a qualified company countersigned by an agent in the City of Bay St. Louis or Gulfport, and said bond shall be in the amount of \$17,000.00. The base bid submitted, said bid bond guaranteeing that the bidder will execute contract regarding work specified and give proper performance and payment bond therefor in the event he is awarded the contract on his bid as submitted. Otherwise, said bid bond will be returned to him after the expiration of the thirty day holding period.  
No bid may be withdrawn within thirty days after bid opening date, and during that time any bid may be accepted or rejected.  
The Contract will be awarded to the lowest and best acceptable bidder if sufficient funds are available therefor; however, the Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities thereof.  
Prospective bidders must possess Certificate of Responsibility pursuant to Miss. House Bill 307, Regular Session, if amount of bid should require same.  
HANCOCK COUNTY  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
By: A. C. MITCHELL  
(SEAL)  
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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on May 18th, 1953, Orvis A. Shiyow and Mrs. Orvis A. Shiyow, executed a Deed of Trust to Rella Mae Gilmore, trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned to M. A. Gilmore, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Vol. 54, pages 295-6, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and  
WHEREAS, the said indebtedness so secured is past due and unpaid, and the said M. A. Gilmore, the legal holder thereof, under the provisions of said deed of trust, elected to and did on November 5th, 1954, appoint W. J. Phillips, as substitute trustee in the place and stead of Rella Mae Gilmore, Trustee, which appointment was in writing and is duly recorded in Vol. 58, page 500, Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and  
WHEREAS, the said M. A. Gilmore, the holder of said indebtedness, having requested me, the undersigned substitute trustee, to foreclose said Deed of Trust,  
NOW THEREFORE, I will on MONDAY, January 3rd, 1955, between legal hours, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the front County Court House door, of Hancock County, Miss., the land situated in Hancock County, Miss., and described in said Deed of Trust as follows, to-wit:  
Beginning at an iron stake where the Corporation line of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss., crosses the South line of St. John Street, which stake is the Northeast Corner of Lot 20, Block of the Second Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, Miss., as per official plat of same by E. S. Drake, C. E., and filed May 1, 1923, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, thence N. 70 degrees W. 125 feet along the South line of St. John Street to an iron stake; thence S. 20 degrees W. 105.2 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 70 degrees E. 162.5 feet to the Corporation line; thence N. 20 degrees E. 109 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Said land being part of Lot 20, Block of the Second Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Miss.  
Subject to the conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements and particularly the reservation of one-half of the mineral rights as described in Deed recorded in Vol. H-6, pages 538-9, Deed Records of Hancock County, Miss.  
Advised, posted and dated this December 7th, 1954.  
W. J. PHILLIPS  
Substituted Trustee  
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## STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

NOTICE TO BIDDERS  
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, at its office in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, until 9:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, January 3rd, 1955, for furnishing to Hancock County the following supplies, as ordered for the period beginning at date of acceptance of bid and ending December 31, 1955:  
Group A. Gasoline, kerosene, diesel fuel and tractor fuel at wholesale prices.  
Group B. Motor oils, motor cleaning fluids, transmission oil and lubricating greases at wholesale prices.  
Group C. Tires and tubes.  
Group D. Electric storage batteries.  
Group E. Sand, washed gravel, shells, etc.  
Group F. Metal culvert pipe.  
Group G. Concrete culvert pipe.  
Group H. Untreated lodge pine lumber and lumber.  
Group I. Treated pine lumber and pilings.  
Group J. Asphalt road materials including cement and ready-mix concrete.  
Group K. Grader blades.  
Group L. Wood preserver, base price on analysis, concentrate and other.  
When applicable, all materials and supplies shall meet State Highway specifications adopted April 11, 1950 unless otherwise stated on the proposal and accepted by the County. Instructions to bidders have been prepared for all items, bids on most items are required to be submitted and items prepared by the County. Failure to submit bids in proper form or failure to follow instructions may disqualify a bid. Instructions and bid forms may be had by writing the Chancery Clerk, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. All bids must be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors on or before 9:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, January 3, 1955, at which time all bids will be opened and read aloud.  
The board reserves the right to accept bids by items and/or groups and also to reject all bids.  
(SEAL)  
A. C. MITCHELL  
CLERK OF BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
12-9-4t Hancock County, Mississippi

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,  
To FRANK MEYER, whose last known address was Covington, Louisiana, but whose present residence and postoffice address is unknown, after diligent search and inquiry, and,  
LEON B. BARBY, JR., if alive, and if dead his unknown heirs at law or legatees; and,  
ANY and all persons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described property, situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:  
Beginning at an iron stake on the South side of Ullman Avenue, which bears 70 degrees East 200 feet from the Northwest corner of Lot No. 335, First Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi as per the present official map or plat of same made by E. S. Drake, C. E., dated May 1st, 1923, and on file in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; thence South 70 degrees East 100 feet along the North line of Lot No. 335 to a stake; thence South 20 degrees West 108 feet to a stake; thence North 70 degrees West to a stake; thence North 20 degrees East 108 feet to the place of beginning.  
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, at the Chancery Office in Gulfport, Mississippi, at 10:00 A.M., on the

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This the 24th day of November, A. D. 1954.  
MRS. MARY VASSALLI, ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF ALFRED VASSALLI, DECEASED.  
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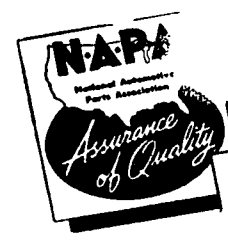
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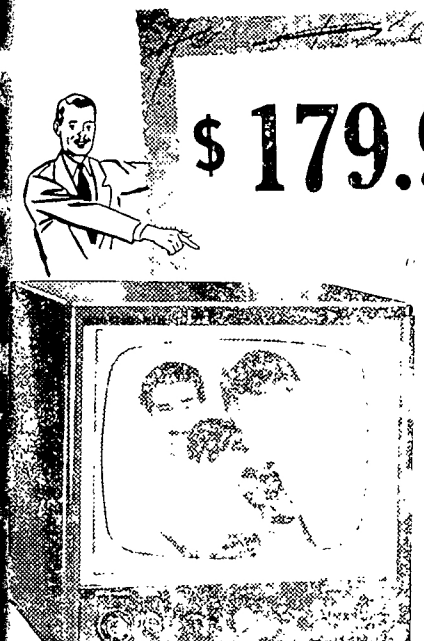
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## Personals

Mrs. O. W. Ramsey with her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, will leave early next week to spend the holiday season with various members of her family. While away they will visit in Bruce, Miss., with her mother, in Kosciusko, with her son, and meet at a family reunion on Christmas with her brother, J. N. Scrivner in Aberdeen. Mrs. Ramsey and her daughter will be joined for the New Year by Mr. Ramsey.

Miss Betty Younger returned recently from Lake Charles, La., where she attended the Intercollegiate Rodeo. Miss Chickie Younger, her sister, won the Queen Contest of the Rodeo, winning the barrel race and the goat tying race against entrants from 18 different colleges.

Coming in Saturday from Aiken, N.C., where they attended Christ Church School will be Leige, Joseph and Fred Carroll, sons of Mrs. Paul Gaudet. George Lehtinen Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lehtinen, James Shadon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shadon, and Donald Chamberlain Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chamberlain.

### ENTERTAINS AT LUNCHEON

Mrs. Max Kohler entertained a small group of friends at a luncheon last week at her home on N. Beach. Those invited were Mrs. Joseph Samuel, Mrs. Ernest Samuel, Mrs. Lloyd Griffith, Mrs. Joseph Martinez and Mrs. Vera Ferrel.

### TO ENTERTAIN AT CHRISTMAS PARTY

One of the larger pre-Christmas parties of the season will be given Friday afternoon at the Bay W. and Yacht Club when Mrs. W. F. Cooper, Mrs. Rene de Montuzin Jr., Mrs. Walter Hausman, Mrs. Dan Russell Jr. and Mrs. J. A. Mattuck will be joint hostesses.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Thibaux entertained Sunday evening at the Hotel Reed for their son, Carl, on the occasion of his seventeenth birthday.

Nearly 100 young people were invited to enjoy dancing and games. Prizes were awarded the winners of the games. Delicious refreshments were served and the party pronounced one of the most enjoyable given for members of the school set.

### CARVERS HAVE SON

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Carver announce the birth of their second son December 7 at Memorial Hospital in Gulfport. This is the third grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Carver.

George Lehtinen returned last week from a business trip to St. Louis, Mo., where he attended a meeting of the Armstrong Distributors.

### SERVING IN HAWAII



Cpl. E. J. Nelson, now serving overseas in Hawaii with the crash crew at Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, Oahu, T.H.

Cpl. Nelson is a heavy equipment operator. He will return to Bay St. Louis in January where he will reside with his wife, the former Bernice Jane Tamm, 298 N. Beach Ave.

Cpl. Nelson, a resident of Bay St. Louis for 22 years, enlisted in New Orleans Jan. 17, 1932.

## Dimes Drive Leader Named

MRS. THEO TUDURY TO AGAIN HEAD MOB

Mrs. Theo Tudury, local business woman, today accepted appointment as Hancock County director of the 1955 March of Dimes. It was announced by Dr. Felix J. Underwood, state chairman of the annual polo appeal.

Mrs. Tudury has been a volunteer in the local March of Dimes for the last 16 years.

Noting advances made in the study of the Salk trial polio vaccine, Mrs. Tudury said, "We open the 1955 drive with bright prospects for eventually conquering polio."

In Hancock County as in counties throughout the nation, people are giving an increased measure of their time, money and skills.

Long-term Care Needed. This is important, she said, because in the meantime the Hancock County Chapter of the National Fundation for Infantile Paralysis must continue the longer care of polio victims of former epidemics.

"If the Salk vaccine gives us the hoped-for answer in 1955, the victory in great part will be the result of our unstinting and faithful participation in the March of Dimes," she said.

The 1955 campaign is scheduled for Jan. 3 to 31.

## Many Distinguished Visitors To Be Here For Centennial

Reverend Mother Jeanne Eudoxie, Mother General of the Sisters of St. Mary, Superior of the Hospital in Park Rapids, Minnesota, will be in Bay St. Louis for the occasion. Reverend Mother is an outstanding leader in education, having been for many years director of the famous boarding school in Boulogne, Paris, prior to her election as Superior General.

Her companion in this visit to America is Mother Jeanne Cheneau, Provincial of the Paris Sisters. Completing the list of welcome guests are the sisters from New Orleans, Baton Rouge, New Roads, and Grand Coteau, headed by Mother Mary Irene, present Provincial, her assistant, Mother Mary Alice, and Mother Mary Anthelina, former provincial.

—SJA Sea Sprite.

### ALBERT MONTIS OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Monti celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary Tuesday.

A reception was held in the afternoon and late evening hours, when the Monti home on St. Charles St. was crowded with the many friends and family of this well known couple.

Former Waterworks Foreman. For 22 years Mr. Monti was foreman of the water works in Bay St. Louis. He attended St. Stanislaus and is a native of Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Monti also is a native of the Bay. The couple have ten children and twenty-three grandchildren.

The home was gay with golden flowers. Several friends sent large golden cakes to add a festive note to the occasion. Many gifts were also received by the couple.

Married at Lady of Gulf Church. Fifty years ago the Montis were married in Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church. Their attendants were Frank Quintini Sr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Boudin, both of whom were present to wish them happiness on their anniversary.

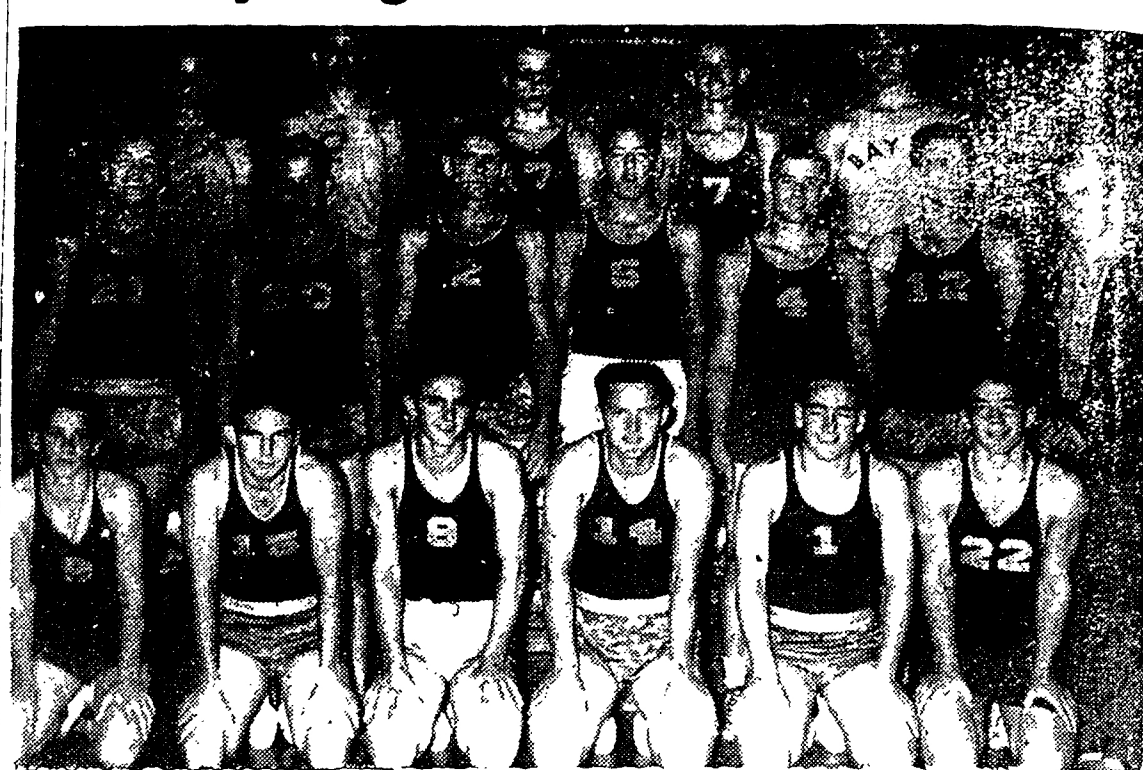
Father John Robinson, Asst. Pastor of Our Lady of the Gulf Church, was at the Monti home early Tuesday morning to administer the sacrament of communion, as Mrs. Monti is unable to get to Church since she became invalided some years ago.

Among out of town guests for the occasion were Sgt. and Mrs. A. G. Favre of Jackson and Mrs. Bessie Young and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Young of New Orleans, Mrs. Wade Guice and children of Gulfport and Mrs. John Cook Sr. of Biloxi.

ELECTED TO KC POST. Edward Murtagh was elected to the office of Deputy Grand Knight at a meeting of the Knights of Columbus Monday, Dec. 6.

Murtagh was unanimously elected to fill the post vacated by J. C. Roland Jr., who was compelled to resign due to his duties with the local National Guard Unit.

## Bay High Basketball Team



Left to right: First row: Grady Perkins, Leroy Blackman, Clayton Adam, Tommy Holden, Donald Cole, Henry Monti. Second row: Bobby Boudin, Hugo Favre, Kent Sallier, Billy Breland, Donald Maurigi, Charles Moran, Coach Caldwell. Third row: Dennis Nease, Tommy Karl, Larry Landrum, Gary Stoufflet and Fred DeHaan.

### WIN IN GULF COAST HORSE SHOW IN GULFPORT

Cheryl Seuzeneau, age 8, and Judy Taillac, age 10, won top honors placing second and third in the Shetland Pony Horsemanship Class for children under 12 years of age in the recent Gulf Coast Horse Show held in Gulfport.

The girls are students of Miss Betty Younger of the Lazy Y Stables.

### YOUTH CENTER REOPENED

Members of the Youth Center will be able to enjoy the club this week end as it will reopen after having been closed for a short time for repairs.

### 'ROGUE COP' AT A & G SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Policemen have a language of their own. Lt. Junius H. Edwards, a veteran of 24 years with the Los Angeles Police Department, calls it "occupational shorthand."

The lieutenant recently explained the term to stars Robert Taylor, Janet Leigh and George Raft during his work at the M-G-M studios as technical adviser on "Rogue Cop," a drama dealing with the conflict of police and underworld.

His "explanation" in part went as follows:

"SOP in police squads is to interrogate all witnesses and suspects; compare the M.O. with that of known criminals in the R&I File; pull the mug shots; have Stats make a run; contact the stoolies; and send out either a Local or an APB. In an automobile figures in the squeal, DMV is contacted."

When the stars of "Rogue Cop," no slouches in their own field of sound stage slang, had stopped blinking their eyes, Edwards elaborated:

"SOP means 'standard order of procedure,' the same expression used in the Army. MO is 'method of operation,' unless you went to Harvard, in which case it's 'modus operandi.' Most criminals follow a same set pattern of operation, often showing a remarkable lack of originality."

R&I stands for "Records and Identification," while mug shots are photographs of identified criminals. Stats means the Statistical office, which checks by use of a punch card system.

An APB is an All-Points Bulletin, sent over the wires to all police headquarters. Its limited counterpart is a Local. And DMV as every driver knows, means the department of Motor Vehicles."

KC MEMBERS TO BE GUESTS OF NEWMAN CLUB. The Junior Newman Club, under the direction of the Reverend Hugh Taylor, has invited the local council of the Knights of Columbus to be guests of the club Monday night, Dec. 20.

A program will be given in the gymnasium of SJA. George Heitzmann, Grand Knight, urges all KC members to attend, as the program will take the place of the regular KC meeting.

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NOTICE Until further notice Dr. McFarland's office hours will be Wednesdays from 9 to 12. No afternoon hours. On December 15, Dr. McFarland will begin holding office hours at the health clinic in Kiln, Miss., each Wednesday from 2 to 5 p.m.

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